

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

ARESTY INTERNATIONAL LAW OFFICES,
P.C.

Plaintiff,

V.

CASE NO. 04-12532 RWZ

HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

Defendant.

JOINT STATEMENT PURSUANT TO LOCAL RULE 16.1

Plaintiff Aresty International Law Offices, P.C. and Defendant Hartford Fire Insurance Company, by their respective undersigned attorneys, present this Joint Statement pursuant to Local Rule 16.1.

I. Proposed Pre-Trial Schedule

A. Automatic Initial Disclosures

The parties will complete the automatic initial disclosures required by Fed.

R. Civ. P. 26(a)(1) and Local Rule 26.2(A) by April 1, 2005.

Automatic Disclosure of Expert Testimony

The parties will complete the automatic disclosure of expert testimony

required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2) by August 1, 2005.

B. Automatic Pretrial Disclosures

The parties will complete the automatic pretrial disclosures required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(3) by February 1, 2006.

Further Discovery

The parties will complete all further discovery pursuant to Local Rule 26.1(C) by September 30, 2005.

C. Pre-Trial Motions

The parties shall file any dispositive pre-trial motions on or before December 31, 2005.

II. **Referral to United States Magistrate Judge**

The parties do not consent to trial by magistrate judge.

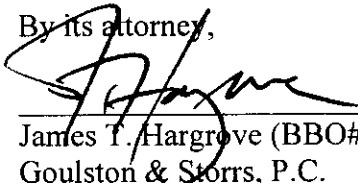
III. **Local Rule 16.1 Certifications**

The parties have attached their respective certifications pursuant to Local Rule 16.1(D)(3) as Exhibits A and B.

Respectfully submitted,

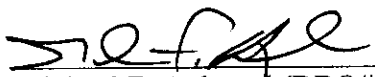
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